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SUBJECT: FONOFF INQUIRY

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1. THE "WELFARE RIGHTS OFFICE" IS NOT REPEAT NOT A
DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SOCIAL SERVICES
OF LOS ANGELES. NO SUCH DIVISION EXISS.

2. THE "WELFARE RIGHTS ORGANIZATION" IS A NATIONAL
ORGANIZATION WHICH IS NOT SUBSIDIZED BY ANY LEVEL OF
GOVERNMENT NOR IS IT A PART OF ANY GOVERNMENT UNIT, LOCAL
STATE OR FEDERAL THAT DEPARTMENT IS AWARE OF. IT IS A
COMMUNITY BASED NATION-WIDE ORGANIZATION CONCERNED WITH
ASSISTING WELFARE RECIPIENTS. MRS. PHYLLIS FRYERSON,
CHAIRWOMAN OF THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY BRANCH OF THE
WELFARE RIGHTS ORGANIZATION CONFIRMED TO THE DEPARTMENT
THAT THEY ARE NOT PART OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC
SOCIAL SERVICES AND THAT JOSE ROQUE IS NOT NOW AN OFFICER
OF THEIR ORGANIZATION. MRS. ESTHER CLAYTON IS THE
COMPTON REPRESENTATIVE OF THE WELFARE RIGHTS ORGANIZATION.

3. JOHN MAY, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC SOCIAL SERVICES FOR LOS ANGELES COUNTY WITH
RESPONSIBILITY FOR LIAISON WITH COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

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ADVISES THAT ABOUT TWO YEARS AGO JOSE ROQUE WAS THE

"WELFARE RIGHTS ORGANIZATION" REPRESENTATIVE IN COMPTON
BUT THAT HIS PRESENT WHEREABOUTS/OCCUPATION ARE
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